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DAY MORNING,

APRIL 6, 1917.

WAR WITH THE GERMAN EMPIRE IS ON IN EARNEST. Austria-Hungary Expected to Offer Peace Proposal to the President.

TO PART AS MEDIATOR
NOW OPEN TO WILSON.

Executive, However, may Play Important Role in Terminating War.

BY JOHN CAILAN O'LAUGHLIN.
(BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

WASHINGTON BUREAU
OF THE TIMES, April 5.
—On high authority it
is said that Austria-Hun-
gary, through her Embassy in
Washington, is about to present
a peace proposal to President
Wilson.

The proposal contemplates the
opening of negotiations with all
the belligerents with a view to
achieving a "durable peace."
It is suggested in connection
with the proposal that the
President should play a promi-
nent part in bringing the war-
ring nations to the council table.
There is no intention that he
should act as mediator—the
United States now is regarded
as being in the same status
as Great Britain, France, Italy,
Japan and Japan.

The offer of a basis of peace
is said to be contained in the
proposal.
The President does not appear as
one of the responsible principals
in making peace. She is, accord-

ing to the statement of the
President, in a state of war
with this country and formal
proclamation to this effect will
be made tomorrow.

Therefore, Germany has used
her ally to sound out the United
States.

NO GUARANTEES.
As the proposal contains no
guarantees, according to the in-
formation in the possession of
the authorities here, it is not
likely to be accepted by the
President or appeal to the gov-
ernments at London, Paris,
Rome, Petrograd and Tokio.
The object of the proposal is
believed to be that which has
been apprehended for some time
—division in American councils.
In spite of the fact that the
United States is at war with
Germany, the belligerent gov-
ernments are hopeful of moving
in such fashion as to make in-
effective American aid to the Al-
lies. By constantly harping on
peace, they hope to encourage
the pacifists and thereby pre-
vent the dispatch of troops to
Europe and make half-hearted

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When Congress Acts.



RESOLUTION ADOPTED
BY THE LOWER HOUSE.

Both Branches of Congress Have Now
Declared for State of War.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, April 6.—The resolution
declaring that a state of war exists be-
tween the United States and Germany, already
passed by the Senate, passed the House shortly
after 3 o'clock this morning by a vote of 373
to 50.

President Wilson will sign the resolution as
soon as Vice-President Marshall has attached
his signature in the Senate. It formally ac-
cepts the state of belligerency forced by Ger-
man aggressions and authorizes and directs the
President to employ the military and naval
forces and all the resources of the nation to
bring war against Germany to a successful ter-
mination.

Without roll calls the House rejected all
amendments, including proposals to prohibit
the sending of any troops overseas without
Congressional authority.

Passage of the resolution followed seven-
teen hours of debate. There was no attempt
to filibuster, but the pacifist group under the
leadership of Democratic Leader Kitchin pro-
longed the discussion with impassioned
speeches. Kitchin declared his conscience
would not permit him to support the Presi-
dent's recommendation that a state of war be
declared.

Miss Rankin of Montana, the only woman
member of Congress, sat through the first roll
call with bowed head, failing to answer to her
name, twice called by the clerk.

On the second roll call Miss Rankin rose and said in a
sobbing voice, "I want to stand by my country, but I cannot vote
for war."

For a moment then she remained standing, supporting her-
self against a desk and as cries of "Vote, vote," came from sev-
eral parts of the House, she sank back into her seat without voting
audibly. She was recorded in the negative.

The fifty who voted against the resolution were:
Almond, Bacon, Britten, Browne, Burnett, Carey, Church,
Connolly of Kansas; Cooper of Wisconsin; Davidson, Davis,
Decker, Dill, Dillon, Dominick, Each, Frear, Fuller of Illinois;
Haugen, Hayes, Hensley, Hilliard, Hull of Iowa; Igou, John-
son of South Dakota; Keating, King, Kinkaid, Kitchin, Kuntz,
La Follette, Little, London, Landon, McManis, Mason, Nelson
Randall, Rankin, Reavis, Roberts, Rodenburg, Shackelford, Sher-
wood, Sloan, Stafford, Van Dyke, Voigt, Wheeler and Woods of
Iowa.

Cheers greeted the announcement of the result. A few min-
utes later Speaker Clark signed the resolution and the House then
adjourned to meet again Monday and take up the administration's
recommendations for war legislation.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—
The House debated the
war resolution all of to-
day and far into the night, and
although passage was assured
before adjournment, the leaders
predicted that a vote could not
be reached until early morning.
For the most part the discus-
sion proceeded with an air of
unemotional acquiescence, scores
of members making brief
speeches to put themselves on
record as reluctantly accepting
war as the only course of honor.
During the day the debate re-
vealed an unexpected strength
in the minority opposing the
resolution. Confident predictions
of not more than a dozen
votes against it gave place to-
night to reports that the opposi-
tion might muster upwards of
a hundred on the final roll call
and supporters of the resolution
conceded that the number to
vote in the negative, probably
would be more than fifty.

EFFORTS OF KITCHIN.
This surprising accession to
the minority ranks was attrib-
uted to the efforts of Democratic
Leader Kitchin, who took the
floor and in a dramatic speech
announced that he could not
with a clear conscience vote for
war. Supporters of the Presi-
dent's course were not concerned
over the defection, however.
Sure of a great majority, they
permitted the roll call to be
delayed only so that everyone
might be heard.
Shortly before midnight, after
the debate had continued for
more than thirteen hours, those
in charge of the resolution pre-
dicted that a vote would be tak-
en soon after 1 o'clock. There
was no certainty that it might
not be hours later, however.
Mr. Kitchin's opposition drew
an immediate following from
among the group who have op-
posed preparedness and armed
neutrality and tonight many of
them who had sat silent and
glum in the rear of the cham-
ber, throughout the day moved
down in front and spoke against
the resolution. One of the most
earnest speeches in behalf of
the President's course came
from Republican Leader Mann,
who declared Germany had de-
clared war on the United States
and that only war could save
the national honor.
Administration leaders, until
today had paid little attention
to reports that Representatives
Kitchin would oppose the res-
olution.

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THE WORLD'S NEWS IN TODAY'S TIMES.

Covering the Globe.

The Foremost Events of Yesterday: (1) Congress.
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Proposal. (5) The California Legislature. (6) Mobili-

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SUMMARY.

NEW YORK. Clear. Wind at 5 p.
velocity 12 miles. Ther-
mometer, 84 degrees. Forecast: Fair Friday. For
detailed weather report see last page.

LOS ANGELES. Because of revela-
tions of a conspiracy to show the Willard
Hotel two Los Angeles Ger-
mans and a woman may be indicted.

It is believed that if battle comes any-
where on this continent as a result of
the war against the United
States, thousands of local women will
be called to pilot motor cars for the
troops.

Charles A. Telle, a law student,
was arrested on suspicion of being a
spy, after being driven in an auto into a
house, killing two persons.

Business and profession-
als have launched a movement to estab-
lish a North Platte bank here.

A court decision the city
may acquire acres of valuable land,
and for the entrance of another
road.

Two alleged wholesale auto
dealers have been indicted for a big business
conspiracy.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Pas-
adena holds its city election and selects
candidates and Freeholders.

San Diego reports more women en-
listed for the army than men, and a
large number for an increase
in the army for sea warfare.

While coming season closes and
will leave to go north to
the islands of the sea.

service threatened by hour demands of
masters, mates and engineers.

GENERAL EASTERN. An emi-
sary from Russia declared the great
need of his country after the war will
be foreign capital.
Thomas A. Edison is said to be
working on a new war device.

WASHINGTON. Three and a half
billion dollars will be raised by the
United States to finance the war for
the first year.

The most tremendous resources the
world has ever seen will be thrown
into the scale with the entry of the
United States.

MEXICO. Mexicans are said to be
approaching the borders of the United
States.

German officers are said to be drill-
ing Obregon's army.

FOREIGN. The American legion
undergoing training in England are
said to be delighted at the prospect of
the United States entering the war.

THE GREAT WAR. The Situation
in the West: Russian capture positions
in sharp fighting in Northern Galicia.
The Russians in a momentous opera-
tion, driving from Persia, have cap-
tured the Mesopotamian frontier towns.

The Turks are making a stand
against the Slavs to prevent them
from crossing the Dnieper River.

COMMENT ON THE SITUATION.
The Germans and French have met
in a sanguinary engagement north-
west of Rheims, where the Ger-
mans with a picked force attacked
on a front of about a mile and a half
between Saignes and the Godat
farm. The exact result of the battle
is belied by conflicting reports.

Paris admits the Germans occupied
portions of the French first-line
trenches, but says the attack failed
completely over the greater part of
the front; that the French troops
reoccupied almost immediately the
captured positions and that counter-
attacks for the recapture of ali-
ments still held by the Germans are
in progress. Berlin says the Ger-
mans inflicted a sanguinary reverse
on Gen. Nivelle's troops in this
region, and that 500 men were made
prisoners. On the battle front in the
region of St. Quentin there have
been only artillery duels between the
French and German forces. On their
part of the line the British have
captured the villages of Basse-Bou-
logne and Ronsevaux, northeast of
Peronne. Here the Germans suf-
fered heavy casualties by being
caught in their own entanglements,
and reeled by the fire of the British
machine guns. Additional gains
for the British east and northeast of
Metz-en-Couture also are chronicled
by the British War Office.

Ominous reports from Mexico that
Mexican troops are moving toward
the American frontier have been re-
ceived. It is also stated that Ger-
man officers have been drilling troops
under Obregon, which are said to
have designs to overthrow Carranza.

POSTERS DENOUNCE ARMY CONSCRIPTION.

QUEBEC (Que.) April 5.—Posters
denouncing conscription in Canada,
printed in English and French, were
posted during the night on shop
windows, fences and other con-
spicuous places throughout the city.

SENATORS HANGED IN EFFIGY.

SAN ANSELMO (Cal.) April 5.—
The six United States Senators who
voted yesterday against the war res-
olution were hanged in effigy here
tonight by former residents of Mis-
souri, Wisconsin and Oregon. After
being pronounced dead, the effigies
were cut down and burned while the
crowd sang "America."

RED CROSS WAREHOUSES.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Estab-
lishment of six enormous ware-
houses for use by the Red Cross
mobilization centers for supplies be-
ing collected by that organization
were announced today. They will
be at Boston, New York, Chicago,
Denver, San Francisco and New Or-
leans and will be made headquar-
ters for their respective divisions.

BEHAVE, BE SAFE, FOREIGNERS TOLD.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Official
announcement was made today that
foreigners in the United States who
conduct themselves properly will
suffer no loss of property or liberty
as a result of a declaration of a
state of war.

**SIXTY LIVES ARE
BY SUBMARINE**

Hospital Ships Destroyed by Central Powers, Says British

Stupendous Sum Required by United States to be Repaid by Increasing Income Tax, Higher Taxes on Liquor and Bond Issue—Estimates in General Terms.

\$100,000 to absorb a bond issue far above the \$3,500,000 needed this year.

These estimates do not take into consideration the cost of the answer by hundreds of thousands of individuals, impelled by officials, which officials are expected to detail the details of the bond issue and its authorization by Congress.

**VILLA'S STAFF CHIEF
SERIOUSLY WOUNDED**

[BY A. P. NIGHTY WIRE]

CHIHUAHUA CITY (Mex.) 5.—It was officially announced today that the military headquarters today told Jose Ynez Salazar, chief of the state police, that Francisco Villa, was wounded in the attack on this city and was in a critical condition at San Antonio. Salazar said that he was taken on a stretcher between two horses following the attack on the capital.

Local papers have published notices of his death but this has yet been verified.

Villa is reported to be here. Andres and Bustillos, who are in the State capital. His forces are reported to have been badly defeated following the attack on Cuernavaca, Cuahua city.

SHERIFF HIT I.W.W.

Witness for Defense in Tracy Describes His Experience
(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)
SEATTLE, April 5.—Frank Tracy, a shingle weaver, testified today for the defense in the trial of Thomas H. Tracy on the jury that ex-Sheriff Doug Rae knocked him unconscious with a blackjack while he was in an Industrial Workers of

World speaker on the street in Everett, Wash., September 3, last, a member of an expedition of Industrial Workers of the World headquarters in Seattle to hold meetings in Everett in violation of city ordinance, is charged with kidnapping Deputy Sheriff Jefferson November 5, last, after the expedition arrived in Everett. He testified: "You are the one looking for," he said, and "I am over the head with a bill."

jack. I fell unconscious.
"There was blood all
face from a wound on the
I was released that night and
a surgeon and had my head
up."

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ment's requirements at reasonable prices will face prosecution and seizure of the plants, under authority granted the President under the National Defense Act and the last annual appropriation bill. The question of food supply is another which has occupied a large place in the presidential considerations. Although the Agricultural Department

DON'T FEAR FARMERS—The War Department officials believe there is little to be feared from the new German munition factories. Authorities have estimated that the United States can now withstand eight times as much as it has in the past. The United States has labored during the past decade of 1907. The first time in history the gold standard was abandoned. The United States has passed the \$5,000,000,000 mark.

Nevertheless, Mr. Miller asserts that his information is absolutely accurate and that it has been known in Washington from the time that Zimmermann's note was not transmitted to the Senate by the President. The note, he stated, was a question bearing upon it was retained in the files of the State Department. It was not the gross error of the Navy departments were apprised

the interest of national defense it is known that recently Thompson had been in the city. He had been given considerable attention to secret tests of a nature carefully guarded.

RED CROSS READY.

The city's Red Cross prepared an office notice, its officials say, to establish hospital bases to care for an estimated 100 to 150 wounded soldiers. Mines has opened its first-aid station to the Red Cross.

As the man who would have to lead the parade, Thompson talked with him freely of the financial phase of the situation. He reported to him that the House, Democratic leaders hastened to his office today to find that he had prepared a speech opposing the resolution. Fellow members of the House and the Journalists Club talked with him to abandon his plan.

By 2 o'clock this morning most of the city's residents had made speeches on the war resolution and many others were waiting for a chance to speak. House leaders predicted it would be at least one week before a vote was reached.

Just before 2 o'clock Miss Frances Ravelin, Representative from Montana, who had

in the long list of patriotic offers which the Chamber has thus astonished officials, apparently of equal value to the nation. One German arrested last night is being held at the County Jail temporarily.

Government agents have received reports that a German spy, accompanied by Gov. Arnulfo Gonzalez from Chihuahua City to Juarez. According to information received, he crossed the border here two weeks

the Council of Women, which has their membership in the Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage, the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, the General Federation of Women's Clubs, the League of Mothers and many other organizations. The League to Enforce Peace and the American Society have lined up behind the Fry campaign to stop the campaign to add recruiting is

The House rejected an amendment by Representative McCulloch providing that none of the United States military forces may be transported for service in the Philippines except on express approval by Congress.

Representative Britten's

Unofficial estimates of the Federal Reserve Board are that the new Reserve system are in a position to absorb up to \$2,000,000,000 of war bonds at once at a rate of interest not exceeding 3 1/2 per cent. Secretary McAdoo says that the new system, if it is as he thought the government would have no difficulty in raising the necessary finances, but declined to indicate the probable methods that will be

The estimates calling for the appropriation of money for carrying on the war were couched in general terms and lacking in details. The great total does not include the money to be used for the Allied part of the administration's programme as outlined in the President's address to Congress, and demands upon the country's finances will be increased when the war is over.

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Mr. McAdoo expects to have frequent conferences with leaders of the House and Senate, during which an attempt will be made to place proposals in concrete shape so that they may be considered by Congress.

TO AMEND INCOME TAX.
Representative Rainey of Illinois, ranking majority member of the Ways and Means Committee, which will have the final say in enacting the war revenue bill before its presentation to the House, declared tonight that the income tax probably would be amended so as to furnish the government with greatly increased revenues during the

heaviest on largest profits. The tariff is impossible as a source of revenue during the war."

MAY LOWER EXEMPTION.

Lowering of the income tax exemption to \$2000 and possibly to \$1500, are among the proposals under consideration. What such action would mean, one official said today, in actual revenue could not be forecast even approximately, be-

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[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]
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by Dr. Patrick S. Burns, ship
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ip Canadian, indicating that the
ip had been torpedoed. Dr. Burns
a resident of Providence and his
dispatch dated Queestown, April 8,
aid:
"Saved not wounded; all saved,
t captain missing."

State capital. His forces reported to have been badly defeated and the attack on the ship a shambles.

SHERIFF HIT L.W.M.

Witness for Defense in the Deaths of His Ex-prime Minister

BY A. R. KRAMER

SEATTLE, April 6.——

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... "LYON"
... "LYON"
... UNARMED.
... (IN A DAY WINK)
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... ship, owned
... ship for Italian
... The ship was unarmed and

Turning on a Light

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CANAL AUTHORITIES TAKE SAFETY STEPS.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)
COLON, April 5.—The Panama
Canal terminal ports of Cristobal and
Balboa will be closed to navigation
between sunset and sunrise and
lights will be extinguished, begin-
ning tomorrow. Shipping is warned
that it is unsafe to approach nearer
than two miles from the ports by
day or night.

NATION SPEEDS SHIP BUILDING.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)
NEW YORK, April 5.—Plans of
the Federal shipping board for the
construction of small wooden mer-
chant ships to nullify the German
submarine menace called for a mon-
ster and practically unlimited fleet
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DOWN WITH ENGLAND, IS CRY OF HAECKEL.

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)
LONDON, April 5, 8:21 p.m.—
Telegraphing from The Hague, the
Exchange Telegraph's correspond-
ent says the German Ministry of
Finance publishes the following let-
ter, written by Prof. Ernst Heinrich
Haeckel, professor of zoology in the
University of Jena, as propaganda
for the sixth German war loan:
"You have asked my opinion of
the present world war. My answer
founded on the words of our three
greatest heroes, Von Hindenburg,
Ludendorff and Von Tirpitz, is 'down
with England at any price.'"

NEW YORK CREATES STATE CONSTABULARY.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)
ALBANY (N. Y.) April 5.—The
Mills police bill, designed to create
a State Constabulary force similar
to that of Pennsylvania, was passed
by the Assembly yesterday after a
bitter fight. The bill now goes to
the Governor, who has announced
that he will sign the measure.

PEACE RUMORS FALSE, HOLLANDERS HEAR.

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)
AMSTERDAM (via London) April
5, 11:30 p.m.—A dispatch to the
Hollandshied from Berlin quotes the
Vossische Zeitung as declaring that
the meeting of the German and
Austrian monarchs and statesmen
at German headquarters does not
justify rumors of new peace offers.

No Mission Play This Good Friday

There will be no performance of
the Mission Play today, Good Friday,
April 6.
Hundreds of people have already
made reservations of seats for the
Mission Play on Easter Sunday after-
noon. It is the ideal way to spend
the afternoon of the most joyous
feast of the Christian calendar, for
the Mission Play depicts most lov-
ingly and colorfully the resurrec-
tion of California from
heathen spiritual darkness.

SECURITY TRUST SAVINGS BANK

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Fifth and Spring. First and Spring.

Patriotic Saving



IN THE event of war the United States can
expect no financial help from the nations
of Europe. We must provide every penny
that will be required to carry on the vast mili-
tary and naval operations that seem likely to
ensue. Therefore, a monumental task faces
the American people, and it can be accom-
plished only if every individual saves for the
day when money will be called for. Are you
prepared to purchase your share of war bonds
that may be issued?

Open a 4% savings ac-
count now — one dol-
lar is sufficient.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)
NEW YORK, April 5.—Gov.
Whitman today signed the Mills
bill, by which the executive is au-
thorized to appoint a committee of
seven members to represent the
State at a conference of delegates
from the several States to consider
the relations of State and Federal
governments in respect to taxation.
The movement for such a confer-
ence was started by the California
Legislature.

RELIEF SHIP FEISTEIN SUNK NEAR ROTTERDAM.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)
NEW YORK, April 5.—The Bel-
gian relief steamship Feistein
has been sunk in the North
Sea while approaching Rotterdam,
according to a cablegram received
today by the Belgian Relief
Commission. It is believed she
struck a mine.
The commission had received no
word from the London headquarters
which sent the message about the
Feistein, regarding the torpedoing
of the vessel.
Both vessels carried cargo made
up mostly of Belgians and Holland-
ers and it is believed no Americans
were on either vessel.
The cablegram did not state how
or when the Feistein was sunk or
whether any lives were lost.

The Sign of Security

In "ye olden days" each public
building was designated by some ap-
propriate sign or symbol.
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and Spring, may be found the "Sign
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large depositors as well as small.

Why not place your savings here?

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Fifth and Spring. First and Spring.

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Fifth and Spring. First and Spring.

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Fifth and Spring. First and Spring.

Another Times Excursion TO Imperial Valley

Will Leave Los Angeles April 13,
Returning Here April 16

It Will Be the Last Times Excursion to Imperial Valley This Year

Accommodations are now being reserved. They are limited. Therefore
prompt action will be necessary to secure tickets for this grand, interesting,
sightseeing trip to California's wonderland.

The price of ticket, which includes all necessary expense of travel—round-
trip transportation, berths on train, all meals and entertainment in the big, rich
valley—is

\$1650
THE ITINERARY

The Itinerary via Southern Pacific R.R.
Leave Los Angeles April 13, 10:45 p.m.
Arrive Calexico, Saturday, April 14, 7:30 a.m. Breakfast
Calexico Hotel. Automobile Ride.
Mexicali, Mexico, Automobile Ride. Lunch at Lu Sing's
Palace Cafe.
Leave Calexico, Saturday, April 14, 2:00 p.m.
Arrive El Centro, Saturday, April 14, 2:30 p.m. Visit sur-
rounding territory, including towns of Holtville and Mel-
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Morris of San Francisco, Sunday closing bill for offices, and factories, had been made amendment to include schools needed today in eliminating funding amendment. Morris said that he could not support his own bill if it included a Sunday closing clause, inserted by Port Bragg, were allowed to remain. It was struck out by a 24-18 vote.

The Assembly refused to consider its passage last week of a bill by American of Alameda, directing the destruction of criminal records of juvenile offenders after years of good behavior.

Greene of Paso Robles sought reconsideration of the removal of the protection of blackbirds in fish and game laws north of the Tehachapi mountains. H. Brown of Butte county, given approval.

ASSEMBLY APPROPRIATIONS.—Appropriation bills totaling \$1,000,000 were passed by the Assembly today.

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American Day is Observed Throughout Republic.

Ribot Before Deputies Lauds President's Address.

Stars and Stripes in Paris on Many Buildings.

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.) PARIS, April 5.—This was Americans' day in France. Besides the parliamentary manifestation and the great display of the Stars and Stripes throughout the capital, the municipal councils met in cities, both large and small, and passed resolutions acclaiming the United States.

The crowded subway cars were more animated than at any time since the war began with general conversation about the new American ally. Knots of soldiers and civilians in front of all cafes and at all street corners discussed the great triumph of the American people.

Another tumultuous demonstration greeted M. Ribot, the Senate speaker, who was giving his address.

ENTIRE WORLD FACES FOOD CROP SHORTAGE.

General Survey of Conditions Reveals Appalling Lack of Grain—America Warned to Profit by Experience of Other Nations and Make Adequate Protection Against War Famine.

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.) ROME (via Paris, April 5).—The world's food crop is becoming alarming, according to David Lubin, American representative to the International Institute of Agriculture. Mr. Lubin is here to report the facts to President Wilson through Ambassador Page and is urging the imperative necessity of a mobilization of American agricultural resources. To a correspondent of the Associated Press Mr. Lubin said:

"For the first time in many years there exists a deficit in the supply of corn, wheat, rye, barley and oats, estimated at a total of 130,000,000 bushels less than the normal requirements for countries open to trade. The situation is worse than was expected last October. The institute's reports indicated then a surplus of more than enough to feed the world until August of this year, when the new crops begin to come in.

"We must profit by Europe's experience before meat tickets become necessary. We can avoid high prices by the eliminating of waste, by the growing of more food and also by effective organization of our food supply, which is more important than getting men into the army.

"Two months after the beginning of the war Germany forbade the export of wheat or rye for feeding live stock and two months later requisitioned all supplies of food. Our first duty is to prevent the manipulation of food supplies, thus obtaining an effective mobilization through the same plan as the Germans, the substance of which is embodied in Senate bill 5972."

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Experts in the Department of Agriculture are devoting themselves to the foodstuffs question, obtaining from all sources throughout the country information of supplies, crop prospects, means for preventing waste, intensifying production and even regulations for preventing manipulation.

Announcement of the first estimate of the winter wheat crop to be issued Saturday is awaited with interest in view of reports that much of the acreage planted has been abandoned. The average abandonment is about 10 per cent. Last autumn 40,000,000 acres were planted and probably 500,000,000 bushels will be harvested.

ENGLAND DECREES ONE MEATLESS DAY WEEKLY.

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The controller has also ordered that no potatoes or food containing potatoes shall be allowed except on meatless days and on Friday.

The order imposes restrictions on the quantities of meat, sugar and bread at meals served in hotels, restaurants, boarding-houses and clubs. The scale for meat is for breakfast, two ounces; luncheon, five ounces; and dinner five ounces. The bread allowance is call for two ounces at all these meals.

Baron Devonport, in explaining the order, said he expected it to result in a saving of 45 per cent. of the meat now consumed, 53 per cent. of bread and 63 per cent. of sugar. He said he had originally intended to order two meatless days, but that he feared this would lead to an increase in bread consumption.

WANT MONTHLY REPORT ON STORED FOODSTUFFS.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.) SACRAMENTO, April 5.—In the interest of food conservation and prevention of speculation in necessities of life, Senator Nelson of San Francisco offered a bill for introduction in the Senate today directing warehouse owners to report monthly to the boards of Supervisors the amount of foodstuffs in storage.

The bill directs that verified statements must be filed beginning with July 10 of this year. Failure to comply with the provisions of the proposed act would mean a fine of \$500 or a sixty-day County Jail sentence, or both.

ARMENIANS WANT CHANCE TO FIGHT.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.) SACRAMENTO, April 5.—Application for organization of a volunteer company of 150 Armenians was made today to Adj. Gen. J. J. Borree by Lloyd T. Stephenson of Fresno, formerly captain of Co. C, National Guard of California, of that city. The application stated that the Armenians were desirous of assisting the United States in the event of active war and that they would provide their own equipment.

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A wedding will take place Sunday noon at San Gabriel, when Miss Nanna Stoney Blumie will become the bride of George Clinton Gibbs.

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AT THE THEATERS.

Symphony.
The delightful Robert Chambers story, "The Hidden Children," is to be the offering at the Symphony next week, the leading roles being taken by Harold Lockwood and May Allison. For the rest of this week the Symphony is showing Lionel Barrymore in "His Father's Son," considered one of the most delightful comedy dramas of the year.

Garrick.
House Peters and Myrtle Stedman will reign at the Garrick next week in a Triangle photoplay called "Men Love." This week Garrick patrons are enjoying the sensational sociological play called "The People vs. John Doe," which is an argument against capital punishment, the third degree and circumstantial evidence.

Colton Has Get Together Hour.
[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.] COLTON, April 5.—Members of the Colton Merchants' Association gathered around tables at Hotel Anderson last evening for a get-together hour, a splendid dinner and an illuminating talk by Attorney H. L. Watt, who gave the merchants much information on legal matters in which they are daily interested.

Drilling Home Guards at Rivera.
[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.] RIVERA, April 5.—The home guards have been organized and they were drilled last night for the first time. Fifty business men and ranchers taking part. George Triggs and Willard Douglas directed the evolutions.

Fourteen Mexicans working for a strike yesterday.
They quit work and "Goed" instantly paid them off. This constituted the "insurrection." There has been no trouble here and none is anticipated.

Theaters—Amusements—Entertainments.
WORLD'S GREATEST STOCK COMPANY—MOROSCO MATINEE TOMORROW FIRST TIME HERE

INNOCENT
THE CRITIC DECLARES IT THE SEASON'S MOST NOTWORTHY DRAMA!
Henry Christian Warshawski, Times: "A heartily enjoyed play. Better than ninety-nine out of every one hundred plays. Brilliant—beautiful!"
"Times" (London, Examiner): "The theatrical event of the season. Magnificent—eloquent—Kammerer: 'A most unusual drama. Intensely interesting. Character studies beautifully done.'"
"City Press, Herald: 'Excellent—unique drama, admirably presented. Something different.'"
PRICES—MATS. 10c to 75c. MATS. 10c to 50c.

WOMEN'S WORK.

WOMEN'S CLUBS.

By Emily Squier.
Who says that women are only fit to officiate at pink teas and brown chocolate? Listen to this, doubters, knockers, and more men: A Long Beach woman, Mrs. Myra Kingman Miller, has received an appointment from the government, the telegram coming from Secretary Wilson of the Department of Labor, giving her a place on the board of directors of the national organization of women which will co-operate with the department and the National League for Women's Service. Another woman to act on the board is Mrs. Joseph Evans Cowles of Los Angeles.

Chamoise.
Chamoise is one of the newly popular shades in footwear and color combines well with almost any other. It is a handsome pair of boots in chamoise, cut very high and with fancy curved top, and dark green vamp and foxing. This was not as "loud" looking as it sounds, and was, in fact, one of the prettiest boots I have seen this season.

Fashion's Straws are Blowing.
The Easter hat forms a most important part of milady's toilet, and much love is laid there and it is no wonder they turn the money from out the old bag, to the new!

Live Wires.
Down in Imperial Valley, where it seems to me everyone is wide awake every moment, they have in a certain Chamber of Commerce, a committee called The Live Wires Committee.

Production of Soapstone.
[Richmond Virginian:] In the production of soapstone the United States ranks first among all countries, and Virginia produces about twenty times as much as the four other producing States—Maryland, North Carolina, Rhode Island and Vermont.

Have You Seen?
The windows of that florist's establishment on Seventh street, where the windows are always an Easter event worth going out of your way to see? If not—better take a look.

Flowers for Easter.
And what more apropos than flowers for Easter? Flowers are always a favorite gift, and for Easter they are especially so.

FRIVOLS.

Quite Au Fait.

By Grace Kingsley.
A recent notable development in motion-picture affairs show a decided move on the part of producers toward willingness to book certain of their pictures in the open market. Among the biggest concerns to adopt the open-market booking plan are Paramount, Triangle, Vitagraph and Selig.

When Paramount and Triangle.
entered the open-market game last week a stimulus was given to the marketing plan. It is now possible, under these companies' present plans, in cases where stars have large followings, for an exhibitor to secure a feature showing such star on payment of an additional sum without making any other features of the programme.

Forewarned!
Now those Germans are going to be just scared to death! Priscilla Dean, U. star, is making preparations to join the Aviation Corps.

Blue Ribbon Note.
The travelogue feature of Talley's programme at his Broadway theatre this week is of unusual beauty.

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PEN POINTS
BY THE STAFF.

Our country, right or wrong, is our country!

In the burly-burly of the war, will Carranza sit tight?

Why not change the name of the United States to the United States of America?

These are the days of the plot, counter plot and the plot.

Another popular phrase that goes out of business—"National foreign alliances."

And in the line of political names of Dr. David Starr Jameson, who is willing to fight for peace. Oh, sugar!

The first food riot of the war was when the babies shouted for their breakfast.

Prohibition circles are discussing the question whether the sale of vodka was the cause or the effect of the prohibition of Nicholas.

The imperial government of Germany says it will not fight the war for the sake of the United States.

New Jersey has passed a law making it illegal to sell cigarettes to anyone under 18 years of age, but nothing about the girls.

Willy Sunday has asked for \$100,000 for his revival for the past year. That is about the same as the stipend of one of the bishops of the "Lutheran" church.

County Mrs. Tolstol, who was accepted a vaudeville act, he ought to be a king.

Uncle Sam might do the same by repaying to France \$100,000,000 she spent in our war for independence.

The Germans are waiting for the summer in July.

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COAST COLLEGES PROPOSE TO COMPLETE SCHEDULE OF SPRING SPORTS.

Effect of War on Athletics.

Schedules to be as Planned.

Baseball may be Changed Somewhat.

Universities Call of Games.

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JESS WILLARD TO JOIN ARMY.

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, April 5.—Jess Willard, world's champion heavyweight pugilist, who, in the opinion of his ring opponents, is "an army in himself," today sent the following telegram to President Wilson:

"I will fight. When do you want me?"

Immediately after Willard's patriotic offer became known in Chicago, Capt. F. R. Kenney, local recruiting commander, dictated a letter to "Big Jess," offering to aid him to obtain a lieutenant's rank in the United States Army.

Willard is today in Norfolk, Va., on his way to Chicago, but it is expected that he will be informed of Capt. Kenney's desire to detail him as a recruiting officer while his training is being completed.

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FINE TWO RACE HORSE OWNERS.

They Attacked Man Alleged to Have Crooked Race.

Claim Victim Put Sponges in Horse's Nostrils.

Claude Williams Ruled off Tia Juana Turf.

SAN DIEGO, April 5.—George Alexander and J. Randolph, two horse owners whose horses were the victims of the "sponge criminal" at the Tia Juana race track, were fined in Police Court this morning by Judge Peterbaugh for beating Claude Williams, whom they accused of engineering the sponge deal.

Six or seven of the best horses at the track were discovered the last day of the races to have sponges in one nostril, placed there by some one who wanted the horses to "stop."

Alexander and Randolph testified in Police Court that Williams had admitted that he engineered the crooked deal for a profit of \$500.

A diamond on Alexander's hand cut a big gash in Williams's face when he hit him. Williams applied to the court for help and the two men who struck him were arrested.

Alexander was fined \$500 with the provision that he pay \$100 and Randolph fine \$200 with the provision he pay \$75 and the remainder to be allowed on probation.

Williams was ruled off the turf at the close of the races by the jockey club but no action was taken in the courts against him as it was said there was not enough evidence to convict any one, though a negro was arrested at the time on suspicion.

Williams was also accused of crooked dealing in handling money for a woman for whom he placed a bet.

Williams was also accused of crooked dealing in handling money

OR AND MRS.
BREE REWED.

Four Years' Health

of four or five years ago
Under Sunny Skies.

Easter Vacation Turned
into a Honeymoon.

Urie and Other Kin Kept
in Dark About It.

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was received here yesterday
remarriage of Mrs. Nellie
formerly Miss Nellie Brown,
of John C. Seebree, her former
husband, took place last Sun-
day, at Phoenix, Ariz.

Seebree, who has been super-
intendent of the training department at
Diego State Normal School,
Los Angeles last Saturday,
to spend her Easter vaca-
tion.

She met Admiral Urie's
brother of her former hus-
band then went to Phoenix,
to meet Maj. Seebree and was

on a short honeymoon Maj.
will return to Brownsville,
Tex. in a few days.

Urie and Mrs. Seebree will re-
main in Diego and continue her
duties until the end of the
month.

Urie and relatives were not
of the marriage, but all
that they were delighted at
and Mrs. Seebree was reunited.
Seebree was for years chief
of the Philippine division at
San Francisco, stationed at San
Francisco.

Recently he has been
promoted to the rank of major.

Maj. and Mrs. Seebree are
well known in army and navy cir-
cles. He is a handsome woman
of prominent in club work. She
has been at home at the
Hotel while teaching at

among his fellow officers. He served with him in the

Cuba and in this country for years they have been the Robert's "visit" city and are well-known to the local society.

Mrs. M'Intyre has been spending for some time, their stay, and consequently she was not an entire surprise.

Unoriginal.

ARE SOUL MATES.

The Southern Intellectual Subject Got so Greatly Interested In Each Other That Wife of Man Obtained Divorce.

Mr. Barnett it would appear that Mr. Young met his soul mate in Judge Widd's court case. Annie M. Young declared her husband had said that no matter how far apart he alleged soul mates were, what the other was doing was hers. Mrs. Young's divorce seemed, that the soul mate anticipated the visit of Mrs. Barnett. The spirit—Nellie Barnett.

visit, Mrs. Young told the first met the other women, she said, showed indica-

He answered, Mr. Hunt has said that he met Mrs. Barnett's statements to study religious and intellectual subjects. Being a religious man, he washed the dishes, and was drowned by a violent nose dive, and sounded on the shore. However, it was only after breaking into an open boat, that he declared he made statements in an incorrect context, and that he was returning to Mrs. Barnett. The visit did not appear at the time. The court gave Mrs. Barnett \$250,000 in damages, and \$40 a month alimony.

Too Many.

HIS WIFE NO. 2.

Previous Husband also in the Second Spouse of Mrs. Barnett.

SURPRISE.

Field Gets Decree of Annulment from

the Court.

Mrs. Ras C. Scofield No. 10, asked of Mrs. Lillian Scofield by another, "Did you have any other information that your husband had committed any crime?" Mrs. C. Scofield, cowering under the weight of the questions, had another fainting spell. This led to an investigation of her husband's activities and he was arrested for the same crime and to serve two years in Folsom.

When arrested Mrs. Scofield No. 10, asked for a divorce. When she was a former inmate of the prison, she was arrested at the time of her arrest, she filed suit for annulment before Judge Wood and during her testimony

When she had a fainting spell.

Mrs. Scofield charged a suit against C. Scofield for evidence yesterday have been. As the evidence has been complained until July 1911, she appears, rubbing the back of her head, had taken testimony.

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GRIM MARAUDER RUN TO EARTH

Pet Police Canary Vanishes
from Gilded Cage.

Finger Prints Found; Search
of Quarters Ordered.

Then Someone Spies Saffron
Feather in Cat's Fur.

The mystery of the canary bird in the City Jail was solved last evening, but only by accident.

Someone donated a beautiful canary to the jail—supposedly to cheer the inmates. But the inmates did not want to be cheered and the officials did not want to be bothered.

That is why the bird was eventually given to H. McPhillips and L. Hill, who conduct the police license department and keep a close watch on sundry persons who try to get by without contributing their quota to the treasury.

There was a little money remaining, and on the advice of the purchasing agent, Capt. Murray and several others, a store of birdseed, song food, egg food and other things good for a canary was purchased.

Yesterday afternoon a consultation was held to decide on a name for the bird. Chief Butler suggested Billy, but Auditor Edwards coun-

tered with Lily. But Mr. Hill pointed out that time alone would determine whether the former or the latter name would fit. It was also decided to withhold the song food and the egg food for a time, until a decision on the name was forthcoming. That would determine, said William Matukiwiz, what kind of food the bird should have.

However, Mr. Matukiwiz, who has heard the most famous song birds of Europe and America, was willing to vote for the song food at once, basing his opinion on the early peeping of the new pet.

There was really no trouble about the matter until late last evening.

Just at closing time Mr. Hill, under the direction of Mr. McPhillips, peered enough food into that cage to keep a whole army of birds through a hard winter. Then Detective Leon entered the room and declared that, next to food, a bird needed air. Therefore a six-inch elevation of the window was accomplished and the day force went home.

But for some reason Messrs. McPhillips and Hill returned to the station about 7 o'clock, presumably to see if the canary had enough seed to last it through the night.

Instead of a beautiful yellow bird they found the gilded cage on the floor, two bars apart and the whole knee deep (nearly) in seed. Confusion reigned. Mr. McPhillips

noticed that a bundle of dusty massage parlor permits, that had not been touched since the Council had decided to cease issuing these peculiar permits, was muzzed up. He looked closer and discovered prints.

"Ah! Reporters!" hissed Mr. McPhillips, who takes an uncanny delight in putting blame for some things on police reporters, who have been the next room. Mr. Sanders of the identification bureau was sent for. Various other officials were called out—except Chief Butler, who had been addressing a mothers' meeting, was called to the station.

Guns were removed from their holsters, ammunition examined and all applied where needed. There were secret conferences, much whispering and going back and forth.

One of the reporters walked up and, seeing the galaxy of officials, telephoned his office that a "German spy has just been captured." The situation was remarkably tense. There are many tough birds in the City Jail and no one dreamed all the excitement could be about one little canary.

"Search the quarters," commanded Lieut. Adams. A squad of men went to the roof and began to search.

"Not the women's quarters," queried one officer. "We know many birds have been confined in there, but never a canary." So the search was confined to the other parts of the jail building.

Just then Chief Jailer Shand entered, carrying Tom, the jail cat. Mr. Shand was making blood-curdling threats against anyone who should permit Tom to roam the streets at night. "These birds in there are enough animals without having a real one roaming about," said the jailer, pointing to the drunk canary.

Tom and from deep in his facial fur plucked forth a yellow feather.

The mystery was solved! Tom had followed his natural instincts and had ruthlessly submitted the bird-cage. Further proof was forthcoming when Mr. Sanders threw the message permits on the table and declared the "finger prints" were the foot marks of a cat.

The Public Service.

At the City Hall.
"MOVIE" ORDINANCE
MAY BE MODIFIED.

LESS DRASTIC MEASURE IS NOW
FAVORED.

Children Under Fourteen Years
may Go to Theaters Unattended
if Seats are Segregated and
Women Ushers are Supplied.
Arguments Presented.

Children under 14 years of age will be permitted to attend the "movies" unattended by parent or guardian providing the exhibitors segregate the sexes and have feminine ushers for girls, if a recommendation of the Welfare Committee is adopted by the Council. The question was thoroughly aired yesterday when a large body of public-spirited citizens appeared before the committee and presented arguments pro and con.

After the debaters had finished the members of the Welfare Committee met and tentatively agreed to modify the ordinance which places a ban upon children of tender age.

One of the ladies speaking in favor of a modification of the measure said that many citizens set aside Saturday of each week as a holiday for their children and practice economy for the purpose of giving the little ones recreation before the screens. She said she had personal knowledge of the manner in which some of the theaters are operated and she would unhesitatingly trust children to the care of the exhibitors.

Among those who spoke for a modification of the ordinance were Rabbi Isidore Myers, Frank A. McDonald, A. E. Garcia, A. I. Patterson, Mrs. May Cravelling and Mrs. Gertrude Brennan. Opponents were Mrs. E. K. Foster, Mrs. Kenney, Mrs. F. B. Wirek, Mrs. A. M. Pehr, E. J. Likely, Mrs. Seward Simons and Miss Girhart.

Invitation to Easter Services.

Mrs. Sloan-Orcutt, president of the Municipal Park Commission, yesterday issued a general invitation to the public to attend the Easter services to be held on the summit of Mt. Hollywood next Sunday, Easter morning. A wooden cross will be erected on the mountain, but it will be supplemented by a huge stone cross soon to be presented by Miss Caroline Ellis Upton.

For a Municipal Farm.

The Council yesterday made provision for a municipal farm in Griffith Park when Purchasing Agent Baker was instructed to buy seeds, tools, farming implements and other necessities. The purpose of the movement is to give City Jail prisoners something to do and at the same time raise produce for supplying various city institutions.

Merger Must Go On.

City Attorney Stephens yesterday informed the Council that the city cannot stop the proposed merger of the telephone companies. Dr. A. D. Houghton, candidate for the Council, protested against consummation of the deal upon the ground that it would cost the taxpayers a large sum and the matter was referred to the City Attorney.

Meeting is Postponed.

The scheduled meeting of the Public Service Commission and members of the Council to confer on the power question was postponed yesterday and announcement was made that the matter will not come to a head until several small questions are solved. No date was set for the proposed conference.

Want More Oil.

The Board of Public Works yesterday asked the Council to appropriate sufficient money for spraying the streets with kerosene. At present there is available only \$7600 and \$8800 is required each month. As a result the board wants \$17,000 appropriated to take care of the last three months of the fiscal year.

At the Courthouse.

ARMY VETERAN IS
DIVORCE VICTOR.

THOUGH A GERMAN, WOULD
FIGHT FOR AMERICA.

Man Who was Chief of Scouts for Gen. Lawton in Philippines Gets Decree on Divorce Charge. Will be Made Reserve Officer in Case of War.

Henry W. Miller, a veteran of the United States Army, won a bloodless battle yesterday. The battlefield was laid in the divorce court and the decree was against Tillie S. Miller, the testimony showing that she had deserted him.

Mr. Miller has been thirty years service in the army and was chief of scouts under Gen. Lawton in the Philippines.

The veteran, who was born in Germany, wants to engage in the present war and has offered his services to the United States government. If he is accepted he will probably be made a reserve officer.

IN FENCE CASE

WOMAN WINS JUDGMENT.

Because a barbed-wire fence was stretched about the grounds of the Los Angeles Hospital, and, furthermore, because Mrs. Mary Neff, colored, fell while passing the hospital grounds, injuring her hand and especially a finger on the wrist, she brought suit for damages, claiming there is a city ordinance prohibiting the erection and maintenance of such a fence.

During the trial of her action before Judge York a witness testified that Mrs. Neff had tried to buy a "Jack," which is a dried frog, to act as a hoodoo on Dr. J. L. Jones, who was joined with the hospital as a defendant. Yesterday Mrs. Neff obtained a judgment against the defendants of \$500 for the pain and discomfort she suffered, \$50 for loss of time by reason of the laceration, and \$50 for the services of a physician.

POWL THEFTS CHARGED.

F. T. Horn and W. H. Barnes were arrested at their home, No. 716 Belmont avenue, yesterday, accused in a complaint issued by the District Attorney's office of stealing young chickens for fattening. The two men say they purchased their young

chickens and are guilty of no wrong. They will be arraigned in justice court today.

PLEAD NOT GUILTY.
DE HOOGS IN COURT.

Edward and Roy De Hoog, charged with having robbed the officials of a Westlake bank of \$2500, were arraigned before Superior Judge Craig yesterday and pleaded not guilty. Their trial is set for June 12.

In the same court, time for Ansel Boyett, the confessed bank thief, to enter his plea was continued until April 12.

IN AND OUT
ABOUT THE COURTS.

CHARLES CRUELTY. Alleging that Percival H. Kelly has a salary of \$275 a month as an officer of the Western Linotyping Company, and asking support for herself and their twin children, Mrs. May Kelly filed suit for separate maintenance yesterday, charging cruelty. She claims he bombarded her with food and dishes, once threw a chicken at her, and, again, kicked over a water heater, upset furniture and threatened to kill her.

GETS MORE TIME. Albert J. Griffiths, the patrolman-bandit, who robbed a messenger of the Wells Fargo Company several months ago, securing nearly \$40,000, appeared in Superior Judge Craig's court yesterday to answer the charge of highway robbery. His counsel's plea for a continuance was granted, and the date of his trial is now fixed for April 19. It is probable he will change his plea to guilty and ask for probation.

INCORPORATIONS. The Vitalist Laboratory of California, incorporated under the laws of the State of California, has been incorporated. The grant of incorporation was made by the State of California, incorporating M. M. Gilchrist, John Grant and T. R. Hudson, capital stock \$45,000, subscribed \$2.

HEMUS WILL. George Hemus of No. 214 South Carondelet street, who died March 7, last, left an estate valued at \$37,000, according to the petition for probate of the will, filed yesterday by the Los Angeles Trust and Savings Bank. The will bequeaths Dr. P. Mather of Pasadena \$500 and places the residue of the estate in trust with the trust company and Dr. Mather, the income to be paid to widow, Mrs. Margaret Hemus, during her life. At her death the estate is to be given to the children, George, Ernest and Percy Hemus and Frances H. Buterworth.

ATTACK OPTOMETRY LAW.

Woman Practitioner Would Re-

strain Enforcement by State.

The optometry law passed by the Legislature in 1913 is attacked in a bill filed in the United States District Court yesterday by Kate P. McNaughton, a graduated optometrist and neurologist of this city.

The defendants are Gov. Stephens, Atty.-Gen. Webb and Dist. Atty. Woolwine.

The complainant alleges that the law is unconstitutional and void, and asks that the defendants be restrained from its enforcement, which it is alleged would be a great hardship to the plaintiff. A temporary restraining order is also asked.

MINISTER BANKRUPT.

William G. Cowan, an old minister, who has been living in Long Beach and Sawtelle, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court yesterday. He gives his debts as \$4774, all unsecured, and his assets as \$15,090. Of the latter item, the alleged value of land in Waco county, Oregon, is given as \$10,000, and \$5000 is a promissory note long since due. He asks that his personal apparel and his pension be held exempt under the law.

Half Section in Antelope Valley Re-

stored to Public Domain.

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The land was entered by Mrs. Babcock, and it was alleged that it was intended for the use of Mrs. Hayton of Philadelphia, who proposed starting a school on the premises. The project fell through, however, and the entry has been ordered canceled on account of the alleged lack of good faith on the part of Mrs. Babcock.

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MAIN WITNESS NOT IN COURT.

Judge Delays Hearing While
Woman is Located.

Court Makes Strong Comment
on Her Disappearance.

Grand Jury Investigation is
Possible Result.

Whether or not Mrs. Katherine Jensen, principal witness in a criminal action against her husband, was spirited out of the city and beyond the jurisdiction of the court is a matter engaging the attention of the District Attorney's office, and may result in a grand jury investigation.

Fred Jensen appeared before Superior Judge Craig yesterday on a charge of having kept his wife a captive and forced her into a life of shame.

Mrs. Jensen failed to appear at the trial. Deputy District Attorney Powell stated she had been expected to attend. Superior Judge Craig inquired for details of the woman's disappearance. An investigation was started, and the court was given information that caused him to continue the case for two weeks, despite the vehement protestations of Attorney S. S. Hahn, representing the defendant.

Judge Craig rebuked the attorney and declared he would inform himself of all the details in the case before he would permit the trial to begin. He said that if he was convinced that the woman had been purposely prevented from attending he would be active in personally assisting the grand jury to punish the offender.

Determined.

COUNCIL IS FIRM.

Ready to Enact Anti-billboard Ordinance, it Serves Notice on Chamber of Commerce Committee to File Report at Once.

Determined to enact an anti-billboard ordinance at the earliest opportunity, the Council yesterday served notice upon the Survey Committee of the Chamber of Commerce to at once file its report on the situation.

The Public Welfare Committee of the Council has concluded its survey of the billboard districts and has collaborated with the City Attorney, who has the Chicago ordinance in his possession and is prepared to draft a measure along similar lines.

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